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BIRTH.

HUNTER.—On 30th October, at No. 204, Nathan Road, Kowloon, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Hunter, a daughter.

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The Daily Press.

HONGKONG OCTOBER 31st, 1913.

THE death of Prince KATSURA has removed from the political arena in Japan one about whom most divergent opinions have been expressed in his own country. To some he would seem to have personified all the best traits in the Japanese character; to others he was merely a military leader whom ambition had brought to aspire to statesmanship. If closely examined the two views are not exactly antagonistic, more especially when we bear in mind that it was during the Premiership of Prince KATSURA that Japan fought successfully with Russia, formed the Alliance with Britain, and generally established her position among the Powers. This would seem to show that Prince KATSURA was not aspiring to a position beyond his abilities when he sought and obtained the Premiership. At the same time it must be admitted that, however successful his foreign policy, in home affairs he totally failed to win popularity. While to-day only his great deeds are recalled, it cannot be forgotten that less than twelve months ago Prince KATSURA was the most unpopular of Japanese statesmen, and that under his previous Ministry there was shown a decidedly reactionary tendency in the administration of the country. If the first KATSURA Ministry—the War Ministry—was a success,

the second, composed of practically the same elements, was a failure, inasmuch as it tended to restrict the liberty of the people and at the same time did nothing to relieve them of their burdens. It is natural that in time of war home affairs should be neglected and any defects overlooked in the importance of the supreme struggle abroad, and thus the first KATSURA Ministry may well be considered as owing its success more to the circumstances of the time than to any real merit. The second Ministry was not so fortunate in this respect. There were no great opportunities for it abroad and the stress of home affairs was keen. In adapting himself to the circumstances Prince KATSURA showed his limitations. With a purely civil administration he had small sympathy, not perhaps unnatural in the case of a man who had devoted the greater part of his life to military organization, and his attempts to bring the people under a kind of military discipline resulted in something like a reign of terror. A large number of supposed Socialists were arrested, an alleged plot against the Emperor was discovered, and the so-called conspirators secretly tried and executed, and a crusade against "dangerous thoughts" started. If there was any justification for the methods of dragging the people that were adopted, which many doubt, then the source of the evil should have been dealt with. This source was undoubtedly the severe pressure of the heavy taxes, coupled with the rise in the cost of living. In financial questions, however, Prince KATSURA showed no particular ability, and the relief of the poor by a scheme for the establishment of free hospitals, to which more or less forced contributions from the richer classes were exacted, was the only measure which at all aimed at providing a better adjustment of affairs. The succeeding Ministry, headed by Marquis SATO, reversed Prince KATSURA's policy in so far as the crusade against popular liberty of thought was concerned, but in its attempts to effect retrenchment found itself confronted by a military and naval influence against which it was powerless. Its fall was the signal for stormy times. Prince KATSURA was again invited to form a Ministry, and again brought together his adherents, but events showed that they had completely lost the confidence of the country. The Diet was strongly opposed to the Ministry, which fell, almost before it had come into existence, amid scenes of disorder and riot. The conclusion seems to be that the failure of Prince KATSURA's former Ministry to effect the reforms demanded was still remembered, while the fact that he was following a Premier whose retrenchment scheme had been foiled by the military party made the opposition to the soldier-statesman still keener. Prince KATSURA resigned, but did not admit defeat. Apparently the only impression made on him was that having lost his power over the party which formerly supported him—the Nationalists—he must create another party. This he had started to do when death overtook him. His removal creates an interesting position. He was not the last, but he was certainly the most influential, of the warrior statesmen of Japan as opposed to the purely civil statesmen like the late Prince ITO. Count TERASHIMA, the Governor-General of Korea, is no doubt a power to be reckoned with in the future, and if KATSURA's mantle falls upon anyone it will fall upon him. How it will fit him remains to be seen. He is undoubtedly a strong man, but he seems not to possess the magnetic influence which the late Prince KATSURA wielded, nor has he shown himself to be possessed of much tact. Other lesser lights are to be found in the military camp, but on the whole it may be said that the military influence in politics in Japan is waning, and that never before was so great an opportunity afforded for the civilian statesmen to effect the reforms for which the country stands in such need. The coming session of the Diet is likely to prove an important one in the history of domestic legislation in Japan.

To-day is the official birthday of H.M. the Emperor of Japan.

The Water Authority notifies by advertisement that the rider mains will be brought into operation from Monday next in the rider main districts.

The many friends of Mr. Alfred Frith will be interested to know that he has been married in Calcutta, to Miss Lucy Greenhill, also a member of the Bandmann Company.

A Manila contemporary states that a tentative offer of one million dollars has been made by the Japanese syndicate for several weeks has had under consideration the purchase of the San Jose Sugar Estate, at Mangarin, Mindoro.

Lord de Freyne, who has just succeeded to the title by the death of his father, is at present believed to be serving in the Philippines with the United States troops.

The Hongkong Mimmers gave their fourth performance of *Twelfth Night* at the Theatre Royal last night, and had the satisfaction of playing to a very large and highly appreciative audience. The next and final performance takes place to-morrow night.

In lawn tennis matches played at Singapore last week between Messrs. L. Trasenster and V. N. B. Wore (representing Selangor), and Captain Day and Mr. F. Salzman (Singapore) the former pair won the Doubles, but the home players won the singles. Mr. Salzman beating Mr. Trasenster and Captain Day beating Mr. Wore.

The weddings announced in Home papers for October include those of Mr. Arthur Puckett Scott, of Yokohama, and Evelyn, elder daughter of the Rev. Archibald H. V. Boughie, Fellow and late Dean of Trinity College, Cambridge; and Captain George Charles Kelly, 60th Rifles, only son of the late Lieut. Colonel G. C. Kelly, 60th Rifles, and Florence Temple-Barrow, youngest daughter of the late Mr. John Hudson, of Yokohama, and Mrs. Hudson, of Curston, Camberley.

CANTON NOTES.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

CANTON, October 29th.

THE COMPENSATION QUESTION.

The Administration Office (i.e., that of the Civil Governor and departmental chiefs) has notified the Police Department that the scale suggested by them for the distribution of compensation to the shops looted, persons injured, and the survivors of those killed during the recent mutiny (as given in the *Daily Press* of 23rd October) has been sanctioned.

PUBLIC EXPENDITURE.

A mandate has been received from the Central Government to the effect that the public expenditure of the various Government offices enumerated below shall not exceed the following annual allowances:—

Civil Administration Office	\$120,000
Department of Finance	32,000
Internal Affairs	60,000
Education	40,000
Industries	50,000
Any one district magistracy	6,000
Land and water Police Depts.	15,000

AWAYING STUDENTS IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

In reply to an inquiry made by the Board of Education, Civil Administrator Li has given the following interesting figures:—

Countries.	Students.	per annum.
Japan	237	\$134,506
England	2	37,829
France	6	12,750
Germany	3	8,640
America	16	109,200

The students referred to are, of course, holders of Government scholarships.

MATRIMONIAL AGES.

The Kuo Wu Yuan (State Council) has telegraphed to the Administration Office, directing that ages for matrimony shall be promulgated by the Civil Administrator and that parents shall be punished for not conforming to such. The step is taken with the object of improving the physique of the people. The Council states that frequently parents get their sons married at the age of between 14 and 15—or even between 12 and 13—which is not only injurious to the health of the persons married but also to their progeny.

THE QUEEN.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Republic has been two years in existence, there are yet many persons in the Chow, Waichow, Kingchow and Linchow districts who have not discarded their dogmas. In view of this, the Civil Administrator has ordered the various district magistrates to issue proclamations calling upon such persons to discard the appendage. He regards such men as a laughing-stock for foreigners.

ROYAL MAIL STEAM PACKET COMPANY.

NEW VESSEL FOR EASTERN SERVICE.

On the 30th ultimo Messrs. Workman, Clark & Co., of Belfast, launched the twin-screw steamer *Cardignishire*, which has been built for the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's Eastern service. The *Cardignishire* is 516ft. in length, with a gross tonnage of about 9,000, and has been constructed under special survey for the highest class in Lloyd's Registry. Accommodation for a few passengers is provided in comfortable state-rooms in a large house amidships, while the poop and bridge spaces and the main deck can readily be made suitable for accommodating 1,300 "average" passengers. The cargo space is divided into seven holds, one of which has also been arranged for use as a deep-water ballast tank. One hold has been completely insulated and fitted up for the reception of general refrigerated cargo, such as frozen meat, dairy produce, and fruit. The vessel is to leave London for her maiden voyage on December 19th.

TELEGRAMS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE HOME RULE
CONTROVERSY.

MR. BONAR LAW DEFINES THE UNIONIST ATTITUDE.

LONDON, October 30th.

Addressing a meeting of 15,000 people at Walsall, Mr. Bonar Law declared that the pledge he gave on behalf of the Unionist party at Blenheim still held good. If the Government tried to drive Ulster out of the union before gaining the sanction of the electors, and if Ulster resisted, she would be right, and the Unionist party would support her in that resistance. He associated himself fully with the attitude of Sir Edward Carson. "We stand together, and, if necessary, fall together," he declared. He emphasised the gravity of the position, and denied that they had used Ulster as a party pawn. It was no question of party advantage or influence on the part of the Unionists. Mr. Asquith had said that the people were behind him. Then why not test it? In view of the attitude of Ulster, and in view of the uncertainty of the wishes of the people, the Government would be committing a crime if it pressed to extremes before knowing that it was carrying out the will of the people. So long as they believed the Government was acting against the will of the people, there was no difference between Irish and English unionism. They stood together. But if there was an election, their attitude must be altered. If the people agreed with the Government, they would submit to the decision. If Mr. Asquith meant to invite the Unionists to an exchange of views, they would not decline to respond thereto. They would properly consider any proposals he might make, and would answer them with a real desire to find a solution, if a solution were possible.

PRESS COMMENTS.

The papers generally conclude from Mr. Bonar Law's speech that negotiations for the settlement of the Home Rule question by consent are now certain.

SIR EDWARD CARSON'S VIEW.

Sir Edward Carson, speaking at Walsall, replied to the Earl of Crewe's recent speech. He said that if he was setting an example to India or any other colony, that it was worth while fighting to maintain the British connection, then he was setting, not a bad, but a good example. Referring to the overtures which had been made to Ulster, Sir Edward said that no offer would be of any use unless it was consistent with the covenant which the Government had driven them to enter into. If no offer were made he would help his comrades in Ireland, whatever the result. He would fight to the bitter end.

THE DUKE OF SUTHERLAND'S
DEER FORESTS.

A FORMAL OFFER TO THE GOVERNMENT.

LONDON, October 30th.

Yesterday the Duke of Sutherland despatched to Mr. Lloyd George a formal offer of 200,000 acres of land in the county of Sutherland. This is a sequel to a recent speech of the Chancellor in connection with his land campaign.

THE IMPERIAL NAVY.

DOMINIONS AND A MORE EFFECTIVE VOICE
IN IMPERIAL AFFAIRS.

LONDON, October 23rd.

The High Commissioner for New Zealand, interviewed by a Reuter's representative, said the moral of the present Naval position in the Empire was that unless the Dominions shared in a wider control of the Navy they must have local units. He believed that New Zealand's decision would impress the Imperial Government with the necessity of the Dominions having a more effective voice in Imperial affairs.

A SUFFRAGETTE OUTRAGE.

PEPPER THROWN AT MR. LLOYD GEORGE.

LONDON, October 30th.

A Suffragette was fined £20 yesterday for throwing pepper at Mr. Lloyd George outside a London chapel, and injuring several policemen.

TELEGRAMS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE P. & O. STRIKE SETTLED.

SUBSTANTIAL CONCESSIONS TO OFFICERS.

LONDON, October 30th.

The strike has been settled, the officers accepting the Company proposals. The officers rejoin the *Arctia* to-day.

The settlement was only reached after two conferences, one in the forenoon, which was a failure, and the other in the afternoon which lasted for two hours.

The Secretary of the Imperial Merchant Service Guild says that while the details will not be divulged, the Officers receive most substantial concessions, and the Directors met them in the most friendly spirit.

The *Arctia* and the *Malva* will sail to-morrow.

STRIKE OF MARINE ENGINEERS.

THE ROYAL MAIL S. P. COMPANY'S SERVICE
JEOPARDISED.

LONDON, October 30th.

All the engineers of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company at present in the United Kingdom have resigned, thus jeopardising the sailing of many steamers from London, Liverpool, and Southampton. The company have declined to recognise the Marine Engineers Association. It is believed however that Sir Owen Phillips will make, voluntarily, concessions which will put an end to the agitation in a few days.

THE WELSH MINE DISASTER.

GENEROUS CONTRIBUTION FROM AUSTRALIA.

MELBOURNE, October 30th.

The Government has voted £2,000 towards the Welsh Mine Disaster Relief Fund.

AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT
DEFEATED.

MELBOURNE, October 30th.

In the House of Representatives, Sir John Forrest moved the second reading of the Loan Bill. Mr. Roberts, for the Opposition, moved the adjournment of the House, and the Government were defeated by 28-27. The House accordingly adjourned.

ZEPPELIN DISASTER INQUIRY.

LONDON, October 30th.

At the inquiry into the Zeppelin disaster the affair was attributed to an explosion of escaping gas which was sucked into the car by an eddy behind the new windscreen, which was exploded by a spark from the motor. The report adds that the fullest agreement exists between the Admiralty and Count Zeppelin as to the methods of avoiding known dangers in the future.

HOME TURF.

RESULT OF THE CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

LONDON, October 30th.

The result of the Cambridgeshire Stakes is as follows:—

Cantilever	1
Cheerful	2
Santur	3

Eighteen ran. Won by a head, two lengths separating second and third. There was a wretched start. Drinmore was left by several lengths, and Fairy King, Bagler, and Equanimity were also sufferers. A furious from the finish. Cantilever drew to the front, and, stalling off the challenge of Cheerful, won an exciting race. Oselle was fourth. Cantilever had lately been suffering from an old complaint of sore feet, and had also been coughing for the last few days. It was only decided to run the horse on the morning of the race. Florist was the favourite, the betting being 9 to 1 against. Southey rode the winner.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, October 30th.

The death is announced of Sir Walter Thomas Wragg, formerly Acting Chief Justice of Natal.

[The late Sir Walter was a Police Magistrate at Ceylon for four years, and Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court, Natal, for five years till 1889, when he was appointed Senior Puisne Judge. He retired in 1899.]

TELEGRAMS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE MEMOIRS OF KING EDWARD.

AN "AUTHORISED BIOGRAPHY" TO BE
PUBLISHED.

LONDON, October 30th.

The *Daily Graphic* has reason to believe that in view of the King's dissatisfaction with the recent memoirs of King Edward, Lord Knollys will be invited to supervise the preparation of an authorised biography, and it is suggested that the Earl of Rosebery will be the author.

PEER'S SON.

TO WED DAUGHTER OF GERMAN COAL KING.

LONDON, October 30th.

The engagement is announced of John, one of the five sons of Lord Redesdale, and Anna, daughter of Herr Friedlander, full the "Coal King" of Germany. The bride is heiress to £5,000,000 sterling, and it is stated that the bridegroom will receive a partnership in the firm as a wedding gift.

EXTRAVAGANT MILLIONAIRE.

EXPENSE WHILE BOARDING A TRAIN.

NEW YORK, October 30th.

The American millionaire, Mr. Charles Gates, known as "Spend-a-million-a-year Gates," on account of his lavish tips, and plunging on the Stock Exchange and the Turf, has died of apoplexy while boarding a train at Wyoming.

ALLEGED FRAUD BY CHINESE.

At the Magistrate's yesterday, before Mr. J. R. Wood, two men were charged with conspiring to obtain the sum of \$2,000 by false pretences from the complainant, a compatriot. The second defendant was further charged with obtaining \$1,000 by false pretences, and with being in possession of a mould for making false 20 cent pieces, a plaster cast, and other instruments for the manufacture of counterfeit coin.

Mr. W. E. L. Shenton (of Messrs. Deacon, Looker, Deacon & Harston) prosecuted. Mr. Leo d'Almada appeared for the first man, and Mr. F. d'Almada for the second.

Mr. Shenton, in opening the case, said that at the beginning of October the complainant came down to Hongkong from the Sunning district as the representative of an Agricultural Company, carrying a quantity of money with which to buy provisions, etc., for this Company. The money he carried was in Hongkong bank notes, and he desired to change it into subsidiary coin. The complainant was a Honolulu man, and whilst in Hongkong ran across another man hailing from that place, with whom he had travelled across. Complainant discussed his business with this man, who said he was a broker in subsidiary coin. Ultimately the two defendants were introduced to the complainant by this man as people who were prepared to exchange his money into subsidiary coin. They offered the complainant very beneficial terms, and said they were prepared to exchange his notes at more advantageous terms than he would get in the open market in Hongkong. In fact they were prepared to advance \$1,100 in subsidiary coin for the \$1,000 worth of notes, which, he (Mr. Shenton) was told, was \$200 more than he could have obtained in the market. The second defendant informed the complainant, in the presence of the first man, that he had the subsidiary coin in his family house, and he thereupon asked the complainant to hand over the notes. After a certain amount of discussion, the complainant did as requested, and the second defendant agreed to come back and bring the subsidiary coin along with him. The first defendant actually received the notes. Neither the go-between nor the two defendants returned again to the complainant, who accordingly went in search of the parties. Some days afterwards the complainant found the go-between at Macao, and told him that he had never received the subsidiary coin.

His Worship—Are you suspecting the go-between as being a party?

Mr. Shenton—Yes, we do now, as the man has disappeared. Continuing, Mr. Shenton said that subsequently the complainant met the two men, and had an interview with them. The second defendant informed him that he did not have the subsidiary coin, but said he proposed to make it and asked for \$2,000 to "run the show." Complainant said he had not the money, but that he could find a capitalist. The complainant "smelt a rat" and got hold of Cheung Yan, a steward at the Baltimore Hotel. He took this steward into his confidence and they planned as to how they should get the money from the two defendants, and in consequence suggested a meeting in the Baltimore Hotel, remarking that they could probably arrange something then. The complainant went to the police and gave information, and two detectives were set to watch at the hotel. The interview took place, Cheung Yan, the complainant, and the defendants being present. The latter produced a mould which his Worship produced was a perfect mould for making 20 cent pieces, as earnest that they could make the money.

The complainant then exclaimed, "These are the two men who have cheated me." The defendants then ran out of the door, but were caught by the detectives and were arrested. The case was remanded until Thursday.

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Hongkong Legislative Council was held yesterday at the Council Chamber.

The following were present:—
His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, Hon. Mr. CLAUDE SEVERN.

H.E. Major-General F. H. KELLY, C.B.

Hon. Mr. A. M. THOMSON (Colonial Secretary).

Hon. Mr. J. A. S. BUCKNILL, K.C. (Attorney-General).

Hon. Mr. A. G. M. FLETCHER (Colonial Treasurer).

Hon. Mr. W. CHATHAM, C.M.G. (Director of Public Works).

Hon. Mr. E. R. HALIFAX (Secretary for Chinese Affairs).

Hon. Mr. C. McL. MESSER (Captain Superintendent of Police).

Hon. Mr. Wai Yui, C.M.G.

Hon. Mr. E. A. HEWITT, C.M.G.

Hon. Mr. C. MONTAGUE EDE.

Hon. Mr. E. SHELLEN.

Hon. Mr. D. LANDALE.

Hon. Mr. LAU CHU PAK.

Mr. R. H. CROFTON (Clerk of Councils).

The minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY, by command of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, laid on the table Financial Minutes Nos. 68 to 69, and moved that they be referred to the Finance Committee.

The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded.

His Excellency—With regard to Financial Minute No. 69 members will see that the amount of the damage caused by two typhoons of the 17th August and the 18th September has been very considerable. The largest item is the damage to important roads in Victoria. That was caused chiefly by the typhoon synchronising with a very high tide and the whole of the front of the Praya was swept by heavy seas for some hours. If it had not been for that damage it would not have been anything like so large. The damage by the typhoon of the 18th September, of course, was nothing like so great, but there was an unfortunate accident to a steam barge and a lighter belonging to the Sanitary Department. Another big item in the former typhoon was the wash-out of certain parts of the railway embankment between Shatin and Taiipo. I am afraid the expenditure is inevitable. It amounts to more than three times the amount which is put in the estimates every year as typhoon damage. \$25,000 is the amount put in every year, and we have had several years in which we have been practically immune, so that this is really only paying up what is the average.

The motion was agreed to.

FINANCIAL.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY, by command of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, laid on the table the report of the Finance Committee (No. 15), and moved its adoption.

The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded, and the motion was agreed to.

THE ESTIMATES.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY moved that Council go into Committee on the Bill entitled, "An Ordinance to apply a sum not exceeding eight million one hundred and sixty-seven thousand one hundred and two dollars to the Public Service of the Year 1914." In doing so he said—As we have already read the Ordinance clause by clause in the Finance Committee I propose that we dispense with reading it again, and move the amendments suggested, which were unanimously recommended by the Committee.

The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded, and the motion was agreed to.

On Council resuming.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY moved the third reading of the Bill.

The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded, and the Bill was read a third time and passed.

His Excellency—Council stands adjourned sine die.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

The Officer Administering the Government recommended the Council to vote a sum of \$9,000 in aid of the vote Public Works:—

Public Works, Recurrent.

Maintenance of Buildings (Kowloon).....\$5,000

Maintenance of Buildings (New Territories).....2,000

Islands in Northern District.....2,000

Public Works, Extraordinary.

Miscellaneous Works (Kowloon).....2,000

Total.....\$9,000

The CHAIRMAN asked the Director of Public Works to explain this minute.

The DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS—The reason of this is to some extent due to the contract for roads for the present year being higher by seven per cent. than

that for last year, and part is for extraordinary expenditure on a number of houses which the Government acquired some years ago with a view to future improvement in road construction. These houses were of the common Chinese type, and they were let to tenants, and got into such a condition that they required considerable repairs to make them safe. This entailed an expenditure of \$3,500.

"Buildings in the New Territories" is due partially to the excess on the cost of certain items of work which were to be carried out during the year. On the Kowloon Police Station the excess was \$148, and on the An Tau Police Station \$828, and there was an old vote under the New Territories heading for repairs to pier. A pier was constructed at Cheung-shawan which entailed an expenditure of \$134. These are the principal items which caused the excess. With regard to Miscellaneous Works, \$8,000, that is simply a vote already provided which has become exhausted. There are always demands for small works of a miscellaneous nature coming in, and this is to cover the estimate of expenditure up to the end of the year, but it is not possible to give any particulars of what these works will be.

The Officer Administering the Government also recommended the Council to vote a sum of \$95,381 in aid of the votes:—

Harbour Master's Department.

A—Harbour Office, Other Charges, 8 165

B—Steam Launches, Other Charges, 300

Sanitary Department, Other Charges.

Sanitary Staff, Launch, Steam Barges and Lighters, Repairs, 2,500

Botanical and Forestry Department, Other Charges.

Forestry, New Territories, 180

Maintenance of Gardens and Grounds, 1,000

Public Works, Recurrent.

Hongkong, Miscellaneous, Typhoon and Rainstorm Damages, 53,700

New Territories, Miscellaneous:—

Typhoon and Rainstorm Damages:—

Islands in Southern District, 6,400

Typhoon and Rainstorm Damages:—

Mainland and Islands in Northern District, 19,800

Kowloon-Unton Railway, Details of Expenditure.

Main Line, Maintenance of Way, Works and Stations, 10,770

Feeding Branch, Maintenance of Way and Works, 770

Total.....\$95,381

The CHAIRMAN—The Governor has already explained to the Council that these votes are on account of typhoon damage.

Hon. Mr. HEWITT—I suppose His Excellency is sending Home the debate on the Military Contribution to the Secretary of State, and I hope he will draw particular attention to the fact that we have got to spend a lakh in one year on typhoon damage. That is one of the things I previously referred to, and one of the unknown figures. It may be \$4,000 one year, and \$100,000 the next, and there is no reason why the Home Government should want to rob us to the extent they do on the Military Contribution.

The CHAIRMAN—The connection is rather obscure.

Hon. Mr. HEWITT—I do not think so.

THE DUTCH EXTRADITION CASE.

At the Magistracy yesterday, the Dutch bank clerk named Sonneveld, who is charged under extradition proceedings with embezzling the sum of 163,000 guilders at Batavia, and his wife, who is charged with being concerned in the alleged offence, appeared before Mr. F. A. Hazeldan.

Mr. J. H. Gardiner was for the defence, and said that it had been arranged, by the consent of the defendants, that they should leave for Batavia by the *Tjibodas*, which was due to depart either on Friday or Saturday morning.

Chief Detective Inspector Collett said he would like arrangements to be made whereby the solicitor for the defence would appear when the case was formally withdrawn.

Mr. Gardiner—There seems a doubt in the mind of the male prisoner as to whether he was properly arrested in Hongkong, and as to whether the Hongkong authorities had jurisdiction to arrest him on a Japanese boat.

His Worship said there could be no question but that he was properly arrested. There was no question about the jurisdiction at all. When within the waters of a British Colony he was on British territory, and there was no question whether it was a Japanese steamer or any steamer at all. His Worship further said that it would be rather awkward if the steamer did not leave on or before Monday. If it did not, the defendants had better be brought up again on Monday.

Mr. Gardiner undertook that if there was any hitch they should be brought before his Worship at 10 o'clock on Monday.

LAUNCH AT KOWLOON DOCKS.

STEAMER FOR THE TONKIN COAST TRADE.

A pleasing and altogether successful function took place at Kowloon Dock yesterday morning, when a new steamer, the *Jade*, built for Mr. P. Roque, at the Kowloon Dock, was successfully launched in ideal conditions by Mlle. L. Liebert, daughter of the French Consul in Hongkong.

A large number gathered on the extensive platform alongside the stocks and hearty cheers were raised as the steamer slowly slid down the ways and gracefully took the water.

Among those invited to the ceremony were:—

Consul-General G. Liebert, Mlle. Liebert, Mr. and Mrs. Berindague, Mr. and Mrs. Gourmont, Mr. and Mrs. Bridon, Mr. and Mrs. Lecable, Mr. de Broc, Mr. de Preville, Mr. Delannay, Mr. de Quivrecourt, Mr. de Journal, Mr. de Buzieres, Mr. A. Lapierre, Mr. Birot, Mr. Jansons (Consul-General for Belgium), Mr. V. Oettingen (Consul-General for Russia), Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Russell, Mr. W. E. Clarke, Capt. T. Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Leefe, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bolles, Mr. R. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Mackinnon, Mr. and Mrs. Miss Jack, Mr. G. T. Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Findlay Miller, Mr. G. A. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Russell, Mr. T. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. J. Macdonald, Mr. P. Roque, M. J. Cohen, the Captain and officers of the M.M. liner *Atlantique*, the Captain and officers of S.M.S. *Tingtau*.

The *Jade* is a steel single-screw steamer of the following dimensions:—Length overall, 166ft. 6in.; length between perpendiculars, 153ft.; breadth, extreme, 25ft. 6in.; breadth moulded, 27ft. 3in.; depth moulded, 17ft. 11in. She is built to the rules and requirements of Bureau Veritas highest class special survey, with fixed free-board, having two decks sheathed with teak. The engine and boiler space is splendid, providing two large cargo holds. Water ballast is carried in the fore and after peaks. Spacious tween decks are served by four large watertight doors. The cargo hatches, 20 feet long by 10ft. 6in. wide and 16 feet by 10ft. 8in., are efficiently protected by hardwood sheathing, protection which the owners found necessary during their long experience in the special trade for which the vessel is designed. Powerful steam winches of the friction type by Messrs. Stappier du Clos are fitted on the main deck, working cargo from steel cranes. The masts are specially strengthened, a strong hook being fitted on the main mast for towing lighters. The steam windlass is by Messrs. Clarke, Chapman & Co., Ltd. State-rooms are provided for six first-class passengers. The Captain's accommodation is on the boat deck. The vessel is fitted throughout with electric light by Messrs. W. C. Jack & Co., Hongkong, under whose superintendence the design and construction of the vessel have been carried out.

The propelling machinery consists of a set of triple expansion engines driving through steel shafting a bronze propeller. The engines are very substantially built throughout. Steam is generated in a large single-ended boiler, working under natural draught, and designed for a working pressure of 180 lbs. per square inch. The machinery throughout has been designed and constructed to the requirements of the Bureau Veritas.

The company afterwards repaired to the Club-room, where Mr. S. H. DODWELL, on behalf of the Dock Company, said that the steamer, built as it was by British builders for a French owner, and launched by a charming French lady, should do much to cement the *entente cordiale* in the Far East. He trusted that Monsieur Roque would give them plenty more opportunities of thus cementing the *entente cordiale*. (Applause.) He proposed success to the *Jade* and prosperity to Monsieur Roque. (Applause.)

In reply, Monsieur Roque expressed his opinion that nothing was needed to cement the *entente cordiale*, because the good feeling was as keen as it possibly could be here in this Colony, as indeed it was all over the world, and it would last, he believed, and hoped, for a very long time. (Applause.) His ships were all very small, but he had given them the names of precious stones. Gems were of small proportion, but they were of big value, and he thought it was the same thing in regard to the *Jade*. The reason why he had chosen a charming lady to perform the launching ceremony was because it would have an influence on the success of the boat, and would give the boat a certain personality. He proposed the health of the Dock Company and congratulated them on their workmanship. (Applause.)

M. Roque then presented Mlle. L. Liebert with a gold vanity box and long chain in case, suitably inscribed, and also presented Mlle. Liebert, the elder daughter of the French Consul, with a jade bracelet.

This is the sixth vessel built by the Kowloon Dock Company for Mr. Roque, and it will run along the coast of Tonquin and North Annam, mostly between Haiphong and Vinh.

FOOTBALL NOTES.

[BY KING.]

For the opening month of the season football matters have gone swimmingly in the district; and many good class encounters have helped to make Happy Valley the trying place for all lovers of the game. A couple of dozen League engagements have been got off, besides many trial games, and Rugby enthusiasts have also been catered for. The six-a-side tournament of the leading civilian club has also interested many. Fixtures generally have been commenced to time, and the refereeing, taken as a whole, has been of a much higher class than has previously prevailed. The writer has witnessed the majority of the matches during the month, and, with many others, has been struck by the difference between the picked-up referee and the duly-appointed, qualified official. There is no doubt about the latter feeling his position and his responsibilities, and his conduct of the game affords a marked contrast to the free-and-easy, go-as-you-please, lounging methods of his club brother.

Possibly it may be urged that innovations tend to make too much of a business of what should be purely a sport! But who that really counts thinks so! Not the players; they to a man prefer to engage in the games knowing well that neither they nor their opponents will be allowed the smallest margin of questionable business. It makes them feel safer, this knowledge of adequate control being at hand. And most decidedly not the spectators who have already clearly shown their preference for the "official" engagement over the time-whittling "friendly."

Even so, next month will see a greater number of competition encounters and a corresponding exclusion of everything else. From lists already published in these columns there appear to be only five days of the whole month (of course excluding Sundays) on which no league matches are due to be played, and the fixtures of one league are not yet to hand, at that. Either the Hongkong Club, the R.E., the R.G.A., the D.C.C.I., or the *Tamara* are billed to appear in opposition on every Saturday, and it is hardly too much to say that such will be the case on every Saturday of the whole playing season. Even this does not allow for public appearances of the crews of the *Minstrel*, *Monmouth*, *Newcastle* and the destroyer *Botilla*, who are all expected at Hongkong before November has run its course.

Can we anticipate results by present form? Probably not; hope not, anyway! The Engineers appear to be weaker than they were seven months ago, and lugubrious looks are general among the "Royals" supporters. But surely there is nothing lost yet that cannot be made good. The defeat by one goal at the instigation of the Cornwalls was partly balanced by the win in turn, again by one goal, of the gunners over the erstwhile leaders. In practice games the *Tamara*'s nucleus team have shown much promise. The kicks about of the civilian club have alone been disappointing. Players there are in plenty, aye, and willing players if only they are properly managed and "nursed." But there must be one spirit only pervading the minds of the selectors—the best man must be chosen for each position. No cliques, no favoritism, no unreasonable opposition. Much is expected of the Club; much must be produced. We visitors at the trial game a few days ago failed to find any reasons for anticipating serious opposition to the senior clubs whose form had already been displayed. But practice games are seldom serious; the spice, the vim, the need for exertion, all are absent. November 8 should tell the tale. The R.G.A. have to be met on the Club ground, and our memories recall how the gunners emerged victorious from their last encounter with the Club by means of a last-minute penalty-kick. May all the "Lilywhites" be fit and ready, and may the best team win!

A point has cropped up lately which concerns and interests players, officials, and spectators alike. Incidentally it has led a First League referee at Home into trouble. Briefly it is this: What happens when the kick-off is not properly taken? Can a free kick be awarded? Decidedly, no! Should a player overstep the line, or should the ball not be kicked sufficiently hard to make the ball move 27 inches the game has not been properly started, and no punishment can be awarded. The kick-off must be taken again, and again if necessary, until a proper commencement has been made. In case players should be facetious, or unruly, and should intentionally—er as above, it may be as well to remind them that they are under the referee's orders, and the referee may be reminded that it becomes "misconduct" which, if persisted in, involves the dismissal of the offender from the field.

LOCAL SPORT.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

The following will represent the Club in a League match against Craigengower Cricket Club to be played on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground to-morrow. Play will commence at 2 p.m.:—P. E. Pearce (Captain), R. N. Anderson, C. H. Buckingham, C. C. Clarke, A. A. Claxton, P. H. Cobb, D. E. Donnelly, A. L. Gace, R. Kennedy, M. M. Mass, and R. P. Thurstield.

FOOTBALL.

ADDITIONAL FIXTURES.

The following matches, in the Second Division of the Hongkong Association League, have been arranged in addition to those already published in these columns:—

3.—B.O.C. v. Moslem R.C., at Happy Valley, 4 p.m.—Referee, Mr. C. Williams.

5.—University v. 88 Co. R.G.A., at Happy Valley, 4 p.m.—Referee, Mr. A. E. Bradley.

12.—University v. Moslem R.C., at Happy Valley, 4 p.m.—Referee, Mr. J. H. Menadue.

18.—Diocesan v. 88 Co. R.G.A., at Happy Valley, 4 p.m.—Referee, Mr. E. Tyler.

27.—Diocesan v. B.O.C., at Happy Valley, 4 p.m.—Referee, Mr. J. F. Woods.

The League match between the R.E. Reserve and the Band of the D.C.C.I. fixed for Friday, 31st October, will not be played. The teams meet on November 20th.

R.G.A. v. SOMERSETSHIRE LIGHT INFANTRY.

Another link in the chain of inter-regimental friendship was forged yesterday when the Royal Garrison Artillery entertained the visiting Somersetshire Regiment at Association Football at Happy Valley. It was a pity in many ways that there was no time to notify the football public of the fixture for the game was in every respect eminently well-worth watching. As it was, the grand stand of the Hongkong Club was packed with supporters of the old 13th and their wives and friends, while the touch lines were well covered.

The teams lined out as follows:—

13th Regiment:—White; Priddle, and Harley (Captain); Bidder, Trim, and Brown; Hearnay and Clarke, Payne (centre); Fisher and Lambert.

R.G.A.:—Marsh; Green (Captain) and Langford; Buckland, Knowlton, and Richards; Driver and Burt, Archer (centre); Dolman and Pinchard.

Referee:—Mr. F. W. Eager.

Winning the toss, the R.A. set the *Zinnmesters* to face the sun, which was in itself a severe handicap. The ground was hard, and lumpy as a ploughed field, but this defect did not seriously affect the correctness of the play. Away went the gunners, Richards doing the needful, and in less than a quarter of no time White was being worried with shots high and low. How he managed to divert a champion drive by Driver he alone knows, and again a few minutes afterwards Pinchard was finding out all the goalie knew about stopping daisy-cutters from the left.

Most impartial were the onlookers; they cheered "Dodger" Green when, single-handed, he held up three opponents, and they rose at a fine run from Hearnay which almost culminated in Marsh—who was doing duty in goal *vice* Moore, injured—being beaten. But no tangible results of the efforts of either side came until a couple of minutes from half-time when Burt lowered the West Country citadel with a ripping effort which left White pale.

Off again after a brief spell, and in front of a fine crowd, the "Prince Albert's Own" dominated affairs for a time. Green came in for special cheers for a run that the visitors will bear in mind for a long time. There was no doubting the class of the R. A. Captain; he stood alone either as attacker or defender, and the way he combined with Richards was an object lesson in pattern weaving. The infantrymen were undoubtedly badly served by reason of their being many days *en voyage*, but in all the technicalities of the game they were second best to the men from Victoria Barracks. Bidder was good as left half, and broke through time and again, but he was watched like an infant, and there was "nothing" doing. Four minutes from "lights out" Knowlton started a run from thirty yards out and wriggled his burly form through a network of opposition. When within striking distance of White he let rip with a pile driver which caught the woodwork full force. The leather bounced back to Archer who had followed up and he made victory sure for the gunners.

Two goals to nil was the verdict, and a fair one. There was no thought of "easing off," and one and all came away pleased with themselves and with their recollections of a fine sporting tussle.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

HONGKONG F.C. v. R.M.S. "MONMOUTH."

The following players will represent the Club in their match with R.M.S. *Monmouth* at Happy Valley to-morrow, the kick-off being at 4 p.m.:—A. Goldenberg, jun.; M. A. Goodwin and M. L. Ralston; D. Campbell, J. Stalker, and A. Chapman; W. F. Brewer and A. F. Briggs; W. V. Pennell; A. J. Coleman and I. L. Goldenberg.

HONGKONG CLUB RUGBY PRACTICE.

The Rugby section of the Hongkong F.C. will engage in a practice game this evening at 5.15 p.m. on the Club's ground, when it is hoped that all the "Rugger" men who possibly can will turn out. A spirit of enthusiasm at the beginning will go a long way to help the Club through the season, and members must not forget that the Cup has to be retained in the Club's possession.

A NORWEGIAN STEAMER ASHORE AT KARATSU.

The Norwegian steamer *Thor* stranded in Karatsu harbour Japan during a recent typhoon. The vessel went ashore in front of the offices of the Mitsui Bishi company. The rudder was damaged, the propeller was reported to be rendered useless, and the ship was leaking badly.

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IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that, on and after MONDAY, the 3rd November, and until further Notice, the SUPPLY OF WATER to the Water Main Districts will be controlled by bringing the Water Mains into operation and that Water will be turned on to each Water Main daily for Two Consecutive Hours. Information as to the hours of supply to any particular property may be obtained on application at the Office of the Water Authority or at the Secretary for Chinese Affairs or at the Tung Wah Hospital.

W. CHATHAM,
Water Authority.

Public Works Department,
Hongkong, 30th October, 1913. [1266]

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that LO IP SHING alias LO YUT SUN hitherto carrying on Business as a Commission Agent and General Merchant at No. 16, Des Voeux Road, Central, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, under the style or name of the UNION TRADING COMPANY has on the 29th October, 1913, Sold the Goodwill and all his Interest in the said Business together with all the Book Debts and all Claims due to him belonging to same to the Undersigned, who will continue to carry on the said Business under the name of the UNION TRADING COMPANY, and will pay and discharge all Debts and Liabilities owing or incurred by the UNION TRADING COMPANY, in the usual course of the said Business to the European Banks in the Colony of Hongkong, but all other Debts of the said LO IP SHING whether in connection with the said Business or not will be paid and discharged by the said LO IP SHING himself.

S. M. CHURCH,
CHAN HONKEE,
IM TO YUUK.

Dated the 30th October, 1913. [1270]

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES
ORDINANCE No. 48 of 1911;

IN THE MATTER OF THE SAM WANG
LAND INVESTMENT, LOAN &
AGENCY CO., LTD.
(IN LIQUIDATION).

SECOND RETURN OF CAPITAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a SECOND RETURN OF CAPITAL of \$15,000 per Share has been Declared in this Matter, and that the same may be received at the Office of Messrs. PERCY SMITH, SMITH & FLEMING, No. 5, Queen's Road Central, on MONDAY, the 3rd day of November, 1913, or on any subsequent day, except SATURDAY, between the hours of 10 and 12 A.M.

No Return of Capital will be made unless Share Certificates are produced when applying for payment.

J. HENNESSY SETH,
Liquidator.

Hongkong, the 31st day of October, 1913. [1269]

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

Re FREDERICK WILLIAM EDWARDS,
late of the Eastern Extension
Telegraph Company, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897, made an Order limiting the time for Creditors and others in Hongkong to send in their Claims against the Estate in Hongkong of the above Deceased to the 20th of November, 1913.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send in their Claims to the Undersigned on or before that date.

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Hongkong, 31st October, 1913. [1268]

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Optional Cargo will be carried on unless notice to the contrary be given TO-DAY.

All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 5th Nov. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 5th Nov. at 9.30 A.M.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE,
Hongkong Office.
Hongkong, 30th Oct., 1913. [1262]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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THE COMMITTEE and MEMBERS
"At Home" to their Friends at the
Club-house TO-MORROW (SATURDAY),
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Hongkong, 31st October, 1913. [1265]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG
AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship

"TORILLA,"
having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed at once, at Consignees' risk and expense.

Cargo remaining on board on the 31st inst. will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

DAVID SASSOON & Co., Ltd.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 30th October, 1913. [60]

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM MIDDLESBROUGH, IMMING-
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THE Steamship

"OLFNIOCHY,"
Captain E. J. Stallard, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk in the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

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All Claims must be presented within FIFTEEN DAYS of the Steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 6th Nov. will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 30th October, 1913. [1263]

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship

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NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD,
MELCHERS & Co.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, 30th October, 1913. [14]

INTIMATIONS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(Section 12, Provincial Insolvency Act.)
In the District Court, Mandalay, Burma.

Insolvency Petition No. 42 of 1913.
In the Matter of MOUNG PO THIN, an insolvent, to (3) CHONG WO HONG, (4) THONG HAIN YUEN, (5) AN YAN, Canton.

WHEREAS (a) MOUNG PO THIN, Silk Merchant, Mandalay, Burma, has applied to this Court by a petition dated 18th March, 1913, to be Declared an Insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III, of 1907, and your name appears in the List of Creditors filed by the aforesaid Debtor, this is to give you Notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of November, 1913, for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the Debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter, you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader.

The particulars of the Debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows:—

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THONG HAIN YUEN, " 18,600/-
AN YAN, " 800/-

PO MYIT,
Chief Clerk.

Hongkong, 8th October, 1913. [1253]

UNIVERSITY OF HONGKONG.

MATRICULATION EXAMINATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MATRICULATION EXAMINATIONS will be held on the following Dates:—
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Hongkong, 24th October, 1913. [1241]

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N. J. STARR,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 29th October, 1913. [1258]

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FASHIONS AND FANCIES.

FOR EVENING WEAR.

A pale maize satin of the richest and most clinging texture, draped in cleverly arranged folds about the knees and ankles, and surmounted by a tunic in ninoon of the same colour bordered with a row of diamond jewelling strung upon a chain of fine silver wire. Such is one of the first models to be seen in Paris for the edification of the world that dresses, in contradistinction to clothing itself. This model is capable of many variations. The skirt may be in charmingness in some pale colour, say, peach blossom, and the tunic in white or black ninoon, but the latter must by some means or other be made to stand away from the figure round the edge. Perhaps a band of feather-trimming or an edging of half-length feathers may be sewn round it. This tunic almost always dips in a point at the back, and some amusing examples are seen with this point finished off with a tail in the form of a tassel or feather. A sense of the ridiculous does not always accompany the gifts of the couturier or fashionable dressmaker.

RETURN OF THE PEPLUM.

The peplum with its emphatic points is too well adapted to the character of the tunic as at present developed to be neglected by the seekers after novelty. But there is a difference between the peplum of to-day and that of fifteen years ago, which copied faithfully enough the classic model. The points are now used as a base for gathering in the upper part into the fullness at present regarded as requisite. The great idea is to hunch the gown out all round below the waist. This bunchiness when fastened into the flatness of the peplum points is well supported and maintained.

REPOSE FOR THE LITTLE SABLES.

Fearing the extinction of the sable, which supplies the world with the most beautiful of furs, Russia has forbidden that any of these little animals should be caught during the next three years. Consequently the fur has run up to an enormously high price, and with the result that many sorts of common and insignificant furs are to be exploited during the winter that lies before us. The humble rabbit's skin, when manipulated by clever fur dressers, would be unrecognisable. Still less when dyed to such colours as sable-brown, tomato, prune, and many shades of tan and yellow, the latter in the tint of Kolinsky sable. The higher classed furs, such as skunk and fox, are seen in their natural colour, dyes being reserved for the less important varieties. Leopard-skin is used for muffs as well as for coats, and an extraordinary specimen of the muffs is to be seen at a London theatre, the paws and the tail both well in evidence. Panther skin has now been brought into the service of beauty. A costume made of meadow-green velvet has the collar and cuffs in panther skin. Both coat and tunic button with frogs down the front, the latter quite full over the very tight lower part of the skirt.

AN UP-TO-DATE GOWN.

In foulard with dull grey-blue spots on an amber ground is a walking dress with rather full skirt drawn in closely below the knees by means of a wide green velvet ruche. The bodice and tunic are in one, the former cut well away from the neck and shoulders, and finished round the top with another ruche of green velvet, which stops at the top of the arms, covered with closely gathered sleeves to the wrists. The tunic measures some three yards round and falls in very full folds which are slightly longer at the back than in front.

AUTUMN HATS.

The smart hat is black velvet and the correct position of the feather is now the centre of the front in a perpendicular position. The height may be anything from eight inches upwards. Some are preposterously high, and when worn by a restless, impulsive person they gave a curious effect to all she says and does. Black velvet toques are arranged on one side to cover the hair and often the ear as well, while they rise high on the other, showing the now smart flatness of the coiffure just bunched out a little to cover the ear. Deep rich tones of colour come next in favour to black and are trimmed with the new ribbons, of which there is an amazing variety, most of them in very loud and vibrant colouring, suggesting the influence of the Post Impressionists and the Futurists. Tange red is as much copper colour as reddish pink, and appears to be as much the color in millinery as the dance in ball rooms. On fair hair it looks its best and yet suits well the brunettes whose colouring is on the vivid side. A toque in velvet of this colour has for trimming two parrot's tail feathers in a wonderfully lovely blue rising from a little pad of the breast feathers of the bird.

FAVOURITE COLOURS.

Khaki and russet, pale tan tints, and forest green appear to be the favourite colours of the moment. A gown in russet is in pale tan and is quite moderately tight round the ankles. Like all other materials of the present season, russet is extremely soft and supple, and in this particular gown has folds which make the drapery cling closely to the limbs. But above there is a full, gathered tunic which in its amplitude contrasts, with the comparative exiguity of the skirt below it. It is bordered with yellow fox, and the bodice, cut away in front, has a hand of similar fur for finish. In this case the sleeves end below the elbows and are met by long tan-coloured gloves.

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band of brass or coloured jewelling round the edge adding its note to the scintillating effect. Jewelled gloves have been seen, and why not? Who could deny them their share of the universal brilliance, when shoes and stockings have already been admitted into the glistening company?

MANTLES FOR EVENING WEAR.

The word "coat" would be unsuitable to describe the new mantles for evening wear, some of which revert to the dolman-pattern—one of these in turquoise-blue panne, printed with large designs in black velvet, is only half-length, and has its fullness caught into a band of blue fox which curves upwards towards the front, and serves as a heading to a deep flounce of black Chantilly. There is a collar of the fur, and the long sleeves, wide at the wrists, are also furnished with bands of the blue fox. Another evening mantle, in soft grey broché has two deep frills of grey tulle embroidered with iridescent paillettes. The depth of these frills is some twelve inches each, so that they lengthen the mantle to a line of the instep. Others are quite short, a lovely one in rose Du Barry plush (again of the very softest), lined with pearl-grey broché and bordered with sable. Yet another is made of red-currant coloured ninoon lined with soft silk to match, and embroidered in heads of every shade of pink and crimson, dazzling to look upon. It is intended for a Royal bride, who is, unfortunately, too ill at the moment to think of clothes, however tempting they may be.—X. and Z. in the *Globe*.

VESSELS EXPECTED.

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The E. & A. str. *Empire* left Sydney on 12. 12th October, for this port via Queensland Ports, Port Darwin and Adelaide, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 5th November.

The I.G.M. str. *Prinz Waldemar* left Sydney on the 16th October, at 11 a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 10th November.

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The str. *Rubi* left Manila on the 28th October, and is due here to-day, at daylight.

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The H.A.L. str. *Bayern* left Shanghai on the 28th October, a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 31st October, a.m.

The A.L. str. *Bohemia* left Singapore for this port on the 28th October, p.m., and will arrive here on the 31st October, at 11 a.m.

The P. & O. str. *Sunda* left Singapore for this port on the 28th October, at noon, and is due here on the 1st November, at 8 a.m.

The P.M. str. *Mongolia*, which arrived in Manila on the 28th October, at noon, will sail from that port on the 30th October, at 2 p.m., and is due to arrive here on the 1st November at 9 a.m.

The Swedish East Asiatic Co.'s str. *St. Helena* left Port Said on the 6th October, and is expected to arrive here on the 3rd November.

The N.Y.K. str. *Kamo Maru* (European Line) left Yokohama for this port via ports on the 22nd October, and is expected here on the 3rd November.

The Barber Line str. *Saint Patrick*, from New York, left Sabang on the 25th October, and is due to arrive at Hongkong on the 3rd November.

The P. & O. transport *Somali* left Singapore for this port on the 28th October, at 5 p.m., and is due here on the 3rd November, at about 8 a.m.

The N.Y.K. str. *Tamba Maru* (American Line) left Seattle for this port via ports on the 7th October, and is expected here on the 9th November.

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KUMOROH, British str., 1,423, M. rtin, 19th October—Olangapo 10th October, Sugar—Chinese.

LYEMOON, German str., 1,237, O. Sach, 23rd October—Saigon 19th October, Rice—Chinese.

MONTAGUE, British str., 6,163, A. J. Hailey, 28th October—Vancouver 1st October, Flour and General—Canadian Pacific Railway.

NIPPON MARU, Japanese str., 3,452, A. G. Stevans, 27th October—San Francisco 30th September, General—Toyo Kisen Kaisha.

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SHIDZOKA MARU, Japanese str., 4,073, T. Iriaw, 28th October—Shanghai 23rd October, General—Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

SOUTH, British transport, 2,996, 26th October—Chingwantao 20th October, Nil—P. & O. S. N. Co.

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(SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION).

STEAMER	LEAVE HONGKONG FOR AUSTRALIA	LEAVE HONGKONG FOR AUSTRALIA
ALDENHAM	5th November	On 8th Nov. 11 A.M.
EMPIRE		On 21st Nov. 11 A.M.

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OUTWARD.

HOMEWARD.

For SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA:

S.S. ISTRIA	14th Nov.
S.S. ALTAMARE	18th Nov.
S.S. SITHONIA	25th Nov.
S.S. EMDEN	1st Dec.
S.S. SILESIA	10th Dec.
S.S. PRUSSIA	27th Dec.
S.S. O.J.D. AHLERS	9th Jan.
S.S. SCANDIA	28th Jan.

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For VANCOUVER, SEATTLE and/or TACOMA & PORTLAND (Or).	S.S. ANDALUSIA	5th Oct.
For ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG & ANTWERP:	S.S. BAYERN	1st Nov.
For HAVRE, ANTWERP & HAMBURG:	S.S. SUEDEMARK	6th Nov.
For MARSSEILLES, HAVRE & HAMBURG:	S.S. BRISGAVIA	7th Nov.
For HAVRE, BREMEN & HAMBURG:	S.S. WESTPHALIA	18th Nov.
For ROTTERDAM & HAMBURG:	S.S. MACEDONIA	25th Nov.

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Hongkong, 29th October, 1913.

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STEAMSHIP	CAPTAIN	LEAVING
"HAIYANG"	Capt. A. E. Hodgins	FRIDAY, 31st Oct., at 11 A.M.
"JAITAN"	Capt. J. S. Rosch	TUESDAY, 4th Nov., at 11 A.M.
"HAICHING"	Capt. W. C. Passmore	FRIDAY, 7th Nov., at 11 A.M.

For SWATOW AND RETURN.

(Occupying 3 Days).

HAIMUN	Capt. J. W. Evans	(SUNDAY, 2nd Nov., at 10 A.M.)
		(WED'DAY, 5th Nov., at 11 A.M.)

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Hongkong, 30th October, 1913.

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

STEAMER	CAPTAIN	DATE OF SAILING
NIPPON MARU	A. G. Stevens	WED'DAY, 5th Nov., Noon.
TENYO MARU	E. Bent	TUESDAY, 11th Nov., at Noon.
HONGKONG MARU	S. Togo	FRIDAY, 23rd Nov., at Noon.
SHINYO MARU	H. S. Smith	THURSDAY, 4th Dec., at Noon.
CHIYO MARU	W. W. Green	MONDAY, 23rd Dec., at Noon.

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STEAMER	TONS	DATE OF SAILING
ANYO MARU	18,500	WED'DAY, 3rd Dec., at Noon.
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STEAMER	CAPTAIN	LEAVING
"CANADA MARU"	H. Yamamoto	SATURDAY, 15th Nov., at 1 P.M.
"TACOMA MARU"	T. Hamada	THURSDAY, 27th Nov., at 1 P.M.
"PANAMA MARU"	J. Kanto	WED'DAY, 10th Dec., at 1 P.M.
"SEATTLE MARU"	T. Saito	THURSDAY, 25th Dec., at 1 P.M.
"MEXICO MARU"	N. Kobayashi	WED'DAY, 7th Jan., at 1 P.M.
"CHICAGO MARU"	I. Goto	

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"INDO MARU"	K. Komiya	TUESDAY, 4th Nov., 4 P.M.
"LUZON MARU"	H. Yamamoto	WED'DAY, 26th Nov., 4 P.M.
"SAIGON MARU"	T. Yamaguchi	FRIDAY, 26th Dec., 4 P.M.

FOR MOJI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.
"SAIGON MARU" ... T. Yamaguchi ... WED'DAY, 12th Nov., 4 P.M.
"LUZON MARU" ... H. Yamamoto ... THURSDAY, 23rd Dec., 4 P.M.
"INDO MARU" ... K. Komiya ...

CHINA AND FORMOSA LINE.

FOR FOOCHEW VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

STEAMER	CAPTAIN	LEAVING
"KAISO MARU"	Y. Yamamoto	WED'DAY, 5th Nov., at Noon.

FOR TAMSUI VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

STEAMER	CAPTAIN	LEAVING
"DAIJIN MARU"	M. Nagano	SUNDAY, 2nd Nov., at 10 A.M.
"DAIGI MARU"	K. Murakami	SUNDAY, 9th Nov., at 11 A.M.

FOR ANPING AND TAKAO VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

STEAMER	CAPTAIN	LEAVING
"SOSHU MARU"	K. Tashira	WED'DAY, 12th Nov., at 8 A.M.

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STEAMSHIP	TONS	CAPTAIN	FOR	SAILING DATE
RUBI	4000	J. Miller	Manila, Mangarin, Cebu and Iloilo	On 15th Nov., 4 P.M.
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STEAMER	FROM	EXPECTED ON OR ABOUT	WILL LEAVE FOR	ON OR ABOUT
TJIBODAS	SHANGHAI	Second half of October.	JAVA	Second half of October.
TJITABOEM	JAVA	First half of November.	JAPAN	First half of November.
TJIMANOEK	JAPAN	First half of November.	JAVA	First half of November.
TJIKINI	JAVA	First half of November.	SHANGHAI	First half of November.
TJIPANAS	SHANGHAI	First half of November.	JAVA	First half of November.
TJILATJAP	JAVA	Second half of November.	JAPAN	Second half of November.
TJIMAHU	JAVA	Second half of November.	JAVA	Second half of November.
TJILIWONG	JAVA	Second half of November.	SHANGHAI	Second half of November.

The Steamers are all fitted throughout with Electric Light and have accommodation for a limited number of Saloon Passengers, and will take Cargo to all Netherlands-Indian Ports on through Bills of Lading.

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FOR

STEAMERS	TONS	TO SAIL
MANILA, ANGAUR, YAP, NEW GUINEA, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE	"PRINZ SIGISMUND," Capt. A. HURTIG, 6,020	Saturday, 1st Nov., at 9 A.M.
KOBE	"PRINZ WALDEMAR," Capt. H. BREMER, 6,100	About Tuesday, 12th Nov.
JESSELTON, KUDAT and SANDAKAN	"BOERNEO," Capt. J. KOEHLER, 5,000	Friday, 31st Oct., at 6 P.M.

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*"PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH"	17,000	ON MARCH 31ST.
"YORK"	17,000	ON APRIL 15TH.
*"PRINZESS ALICE"	20,300	ON APRIL 28TH.

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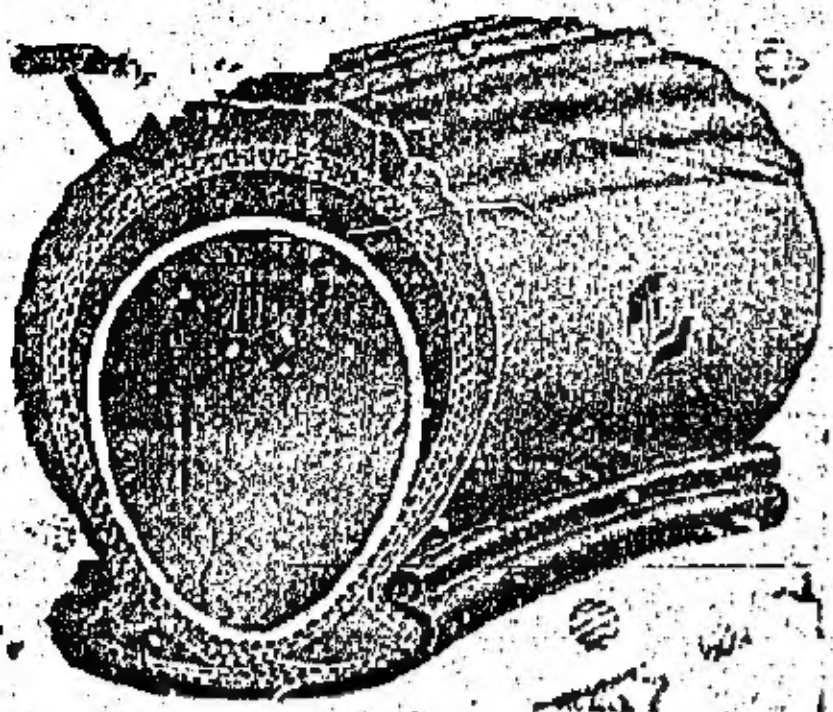
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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S PARCEL MAIL.

The Public are informed that the Christmas Parcel Mail to the United Kingdom and Colonies beyond will be closed in this Office at 5 p.m. on the 7th November. This Parcel Mail by the long sea route via Gibraltar is due to reach London on the 13th December. The following Mail of the 1st November will be treated as the New Year Mail, and is due to reach London on the 27th December. Parcels may be forwarded via Brindisi with an extra fee of 50 cents, and with this mail are due in London on the 20th December.

Parcels containing Gold or Silver must be insured for at least part of their value. All insured parcels must be sealed. All the seals must be of the same coloured wax, and must bear the impression of a private device. This device must be the same on each seal. Straight, curved, crossed or dotted lines are not admissible. Buttons, Coins and Thimbles cannot be used for sealing.

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With reference to paragraph 6 of the Hongkong Postal Guide, on and after the 1st prox. all local letters whose delivery is unavoidably held over or retarded owing to the arrival of a contract packet or Siberian mail will be marked "Delivery postponed." In no case will more than one local delivery be held over or retarded on these grounds.

* Specially superscribed correspondence only.

The Japan, with the Mail from London (via Siberia) of Wednesday, 8th, and Saturday, 11th inst., is due to arrive here to-day.

FOR	PER	DATE
Satow	Potokaburi	Friday, 31st, 9.00 A.M.
Pakhoi, Bangkok, and Saigon	Kaifong	Friday, 31st, 9.00 A.M.
Satow, Amoy and Foochow	Hanyang	Friday, 31st, 10.00 A.M.
Bangkok	Anna	Friday, 31st, 10.00 A.M.
* Straits and Siam	Chungking	Friday, 31st, 11.00 A.M.
* Tientsin	Chiphong	Friday, 31st, 11.00 A.M.
Koror, Yap, Ulai, Saipan, Truk, Ponape, Kusaie, Nanu, Rabaul, and Sydney	Germany	Friday, 31st, 11.00 A.M.
Philippine Islands, Australia, Tasmania, and New Zealand via Port Darwin	Changsha	Friday, 31st, 2.00 P.M.
Satow	Kowloon	Friday, 31st, 5.01 P.M.
Shanghai, North China and Japan via Yokohama	N. pon	Friday, 31st, 5.01 P.M.
Japan via Kobe, Vancouver, Seattle, Tacoma and Portland (O.)	Andalusia	Friday, 31st, 4.00 P.M.
Shanghai and North China	Glanchoy	Friday, 31st, 4.00 P.M.
Jessetion, Kuda and Sandakan	Borneo	Friday, 31st, 5.00 P.M.
Shanghai and North China	Bohemia	Friday, 31st, 5.00 P.M.

— NOVEMBER —

Philippine Islands, Angaur, Yap, Friedrich, Withahshafen, Esabai, Herbertshofen, Matsui, Tasmania, New Zealand, S. & W. Australia via Brisbane	Prinz Sigismund	Saturday, 1st, 8.00 A.M.
Satow	Onseng	Saturday, 1st, 9.00 A.M.
Satow	Japan	Saturday, 1st, 11.00 A.M.
Philippine Islands	Yokohama	Saturday, 1st, 1.00 P.M.
Batavia, Samarang and Sourabaya	Tsibodas	Saturday, 1st, 3.00 P.M.
Shanghai, North China and Japan via Kobe	Torika	Saturday, 1st, 3.00 P.M.
* Ningpo	Kalgan	Saturday, 1st, 3.00 P.M.
Formosa via Takow, *Amoy, *Shanghai and *North China	Wuhu	Saturday, 1st, 3.00 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon and Bombay	Persia	Saturday, 1st, 3.00 P.M.
Shanghai and North China	Chenan	Saturday, 1st, 5.00 P.M.
(EUROPE via SIBERIA)	Haidan	Sunday, 2nd, 9.00 A.M.
Satow	Fuku Maru	Sunday, 2nd, 9.00 A.M.
Japan via Nagasaki	Daijin Maru	Sunday, 2nd, 9.00 A.M.
Satow, Amoy and Formosa via Tamaui	Tsingtao	Sunday, 2nd, 9.00 A.M.
* Shanghai, and North China	Yokohama	Sunday, 2nd, 3.00 P.M.
Weihsaiwei and Tientsin	Kueichow	Sunday, 2nd, 3.00 P.M.
* Straits and India via Calcutta	Katsching	Tuesday, 4th, 10.00 A.M.
Shanghai, North China, Japan via Nippon, Victoria, B.C., and Seattle (Wash.)	Shidokoku Maru	Tuesday, 4th, 10.00 A.M.
Satow, Amoy and Foochow	Haitan	Tuesday, 4th, 10.00 A.M.
Satow	Printed Matter and Samples	Tuesday, 4th, 10.00 A.M.
SAIGON, STRAITS, CEYLON, ADLAI, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEY, EGYPT and EUROPE via MARSILLES (Late Letters 11 to NOON Extra postage 10 cents)	Registration with late fee of 10 cents up to 10.45 A.M.	Tuesday, 4th, 10.00 A.M.
(Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this outward mail)	Registration B.O.	Tuesday, 4th, 10.00 A.M.
Straits and Ceylon	Letters	Tuesday, 4th, 10.00 A.M.
Philippine Islands, CANADA, NAGASAKI, HONOLULU, CANADA, UNITED STATES and SOUTH AMERICA, via SAN FRANCISCO	Kamo Maru	Tuesday, 4th, 5.00 P.M.
	Nippon Maru	Wednesday, 5th, 9.30 A.M.
	Letters	Wednesday, 5th, 10.00 A.M.

COMMERCIAL.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

October 30th

ON LONDON:	
Telegraphic Transfer	1/11 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	1/11 1/2
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	1/11 1/2
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight	1/11 1/2
Credits, at 4 months' sight	1/11 1/2
Documentary Bills at 4 months' sight	1/11 1/2
ON PARIS:	
Bank Bills, on demand	24 1/2
Credits, at 4 months' sight	54 1/2
ON GERMANY:	
On demand	202
ON NEW YORK:	
Bank Bills, on demand	47 1/2
Credits, at 60 days' sight	48 1/2
ON BOMBAY:	
Telegraphic Transfer	146 1/2
Bank, on demand	146 1/2
ON CALCUTTA:	
Telegraphic Transfer	146 1/2
Bank, on demand	146 1/2
ON SHANGHAI:	
Bank, at sight	75
Private, 30 days' sight	75 1/2
ON YOKOHAMA:	
On demand	96
ON MANILA:	
On demand	96 1/2
ON SINGAPORE:	
On demand	84 1/2
ON BATAVIA:	
On demand	119 1/2
ON HAIPHONG:	
On demand	14 1/2 p.m.
ON SAIGON:	
On demand	78 1/2
ON BANGKOK:	
On demand	119 1/2
SOVEREIGNS, Bank's Buying Rate	\$10.10
GOLD LEAF, 100 fine, per tola	\$53.20
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Hongkong	10 " " \$8.10

MAILS VIA SIBERIA.

London	Days	Shanghai	October 30th
October 11th		October 27th	

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HONGKONG, 30th OCTOBER, 1913.

STOCKS.	NO. OF SHARES.	VALUE.	PAID UP.	CLOSING QUOTATIONS CASH.	RETURN ON BASIS OF LAST DIV'D.
BANKS.					
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Corporation	122,000	\$125	all	\$790	5 1/2 p.c.
China Borneo Company, Limited	60,000	\$12	all	\$9 1/2, buyers	8 1/2 p.c.
China Light and Power Company, Ltd.	50,000	\$5	all	\$4, sellers	
China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd.	200,000	\$10	all	\$9, sellers	7 1/2 p.c.
COTTON MILLS.					
Two Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	20,000	Tls. 50	all	Tls. 143	
Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	125,000	\$10	all	\$9, sellers	5 p.c.
Dairy Farm Company, Limited	40,000	\$7 1/2	all	\$27, buyers	5 p.c.
DOCKS AND WHARVES.					
H'kong & Kowloon Wharf & G. Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$50	all	\$85, buyers	5 p.c.
H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$50	all	\$77 1/2, buyers	3 p.c.
New Amoy Dock Co., Limited	10,000	\$50	all	\$94	7 1/2 p.c.
S'hai, Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,700	Tls. 100	all	Tls. 56, sellers	
Shai, and Hongkong Wharf Co., Ltd.	36,000	Tls. 100	all	Tls. 115	
Green Island Cement Co., Limited	400,000	\$10	all	\$7 1/2, sal. & buy.	
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	60,000	\$10	all	\$125	4 p.c.
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	8,000	\$50	all	\$25, sellers	5 p.c.
Manila Metropolitan Hotel, Limited	15,000	P. 10	all	P. 8, sellers	
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000	\$25	all	\$150, buyers	5 1/2 p.c.
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$10	all	\$23	
H'kong & South China Steam Fishery Co., Ltd.	15,000	\$10	all	\$2	
Hongkong Steel Foundry Co., Ltd.	15,000	\$10	all	\$10	
Hongkong Tramway Co., Ltd.	325,000	\$5	all	\$7 1/2, sellers	
INSURANCE.					
China Insurance Office Co., Limited	10,000	\$250	\$50	\$345, sellers	6 p.c.
China Fire Insurance Co., Limited	20,000	\$100	\$20	\$150, buyers	6 1/2 p.c.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	\$250	\$50	\$377 1/2, buyers	7 1/2 p.c.
North China Insurance Co., Limited	10,000	\$15	\$5	Tls. 157 1/2	
Union Insurance Society, Limited	12,400	\$250	\$100	\$300, buyers	6 1/2 p.c.
Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.	12,000	\$100	\$50	\$192 1/2, @ Ex 7 1/2	
LANDS AND BUILDINGS.					
H'kong Land Investment Agency Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$100	all	\$110, buyers	6 1/2 p.c.
Hongkong Land Reclamation Co., Ltd.	25,000	\$100	\$75	\$200	
Humphreys Estate and Finance Co., Ltd.	150,000	\$10	all	\$9, buyers	5 1/2 p.c.
Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	6,000	\$50	\$50	\$45, sales	7 p.c.
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	75,000	Tls. 50	all	Tls. 89	
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	\$50	all	\$72	5 1/2 p.c.
Manitoway Exploitation in Langkat	25,000	Gds. 10	all	Tls. 35 1/2, sales	
MINE.					
Chinese Engineering and M. Co., Ltd.	1,000,000	\$1	all	31/3	
Hawwood Tin and Rubber Estates, Ltd.	840,000	\$1	all	2/6, sellers	
Reed Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	200,000	\$1	all	\$3, sales	
Trench Mines, Limited	160,000	\$1	all	46/3	
Peak Tramways Co., Limited	25,000	\$10	all	\$101	7 1/2 p.c.
Philippine Co., Limited	50,000	\$10	all	\$3,90	
Pulpes et Papeteries du Tonkin Societe des	15,200	\$50	all	\$20, sellers	
REFINERIES.					
China Sugar Refining Co., Limited	20,000	\$100	all	\$37, sellers	5 p.c.
Luxon Sugar Refining Co., Limited	7,000	\$160	all	\$35, sellers	
STEAMSHIP COMPANIES.					
China and India Steamship Co., Ltd.	33,000	\$25	all	\$7 1/2	
Donghai Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	\$50	all	\$15, sellers	5 p.c.
H'kong, Canton & Macao S.S. Co., Ltd.	80,000	\$15	all	\$24, buyers	7 1/2 p.c.
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.	60,000 pref.	\$5	all	\$30, (L'don sales) (L'don	
Shell Transport & Trading Co., Ltd.	2,500,000	\$1	all	105, sellers	6 p.c.
Star Ferry Company, Limited	30,000	\$10	all	\$55, buyers	5 1/2 p.c.
South China Morning Post, Limited	6,000	\$25	all	\$32, sellers	
Steam Laundry Company, Limited	20,000	\$5	all	\$5	
STORES AND DISPENSARIES.					
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	\$10	all	\$25	
Cowell, Wm., Limited	15,000	\$1	all	\$1, sellers	4 p.c.
Watson & Co., A.S., Limited	92,000	\$10	all	\$72	
Union Waterboat Co., Limited	50,000	\$10	all	\$17 1/2, buyers	5 1/2 p.c.

Para Rubber in London	Amount.	Value.	Interest.	Quotation.
Chinese Imperial 1886	Tls. 767,200	Tls. 250	7 1/2 p. annum	Far.

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TO-MORROW	Wednesday, 5th Nov.
9.15 p.m.—Entertainment "Twelfth Night" at the Theatre Royal.	2.15 p.m.—Meeting of the Licensing Board in the Council Chamber.
9.15 p.m.—Harrison's Circus at Causeway Bay.	
FORTHCOMING EVENTS.	Friday, 7th Nov.
Tuesday, 4th Nov.—	5.30 p.m.—Hongkong Cricket Club Extraordinary General Meeting in the Pavilion.
9 p.m.—Concert by Dom von Mollendorf at the St. Andrew's Hall.	
	Monday, 10th Nov.—
	5.30 p.m.—Christian Science at the Theatre Royal.

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